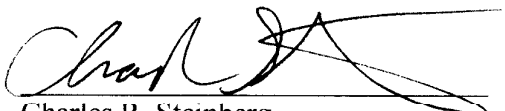


**BIOGRAPHICAL STATEMENT IN SUPPORT OF CHARLES R. STEINBERG'S
APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT TO BANKRUPTCY MEDIATION PANEL**

I was born and raised in Seattle, Washington, graduating from Shoreline High School in 1984. I graduated in 1989 from the University of Washington, with a Bachelor of Arts in History, focusing on the history of Seattle and the Puget Sound region. In 1989, I married my wife, Joanne Marie Waite, a Wenatchee native. I graduated from Willamette University College of Law in May of 1994, and moved back to Wenatchee, Washington, where I reside with my wife and our 2 ½ year old daughter, Sophia Claire. I have a general practice law firm, The Steinberg Law Firm, P.S., emphasizing debtor/creditor work, construction law and real estate, which was established in September, 1996.

My personal interests include chess, cross country skiing, motorcycle riding, horseback riding, church activities, and spending time with my family.

Dated this 7th day of March, 2000.


Charles R. Steinberg